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## The Intelligencer.

dispatches this morning to a decline in Wall street of 5-20 bonds of certain issues, on account of the action of the U. a 41 bond, running thirty years. The hill referred to authorizes the Secretary 4} per cent bonds, and sell them at par for the redemption of an equal amount of 6 there will be an additional saving of \$7,credit of the government will be improved cannot reasonably nor consistently re fuse its assent to this measure.

THE GAS QUESTION:-It seems as if an agitation about gas and gas-meters had to nominate a State ticket. broken out all over the country. They have it in an incipient form down at Parkersburg, where, as we observe by then? Why a close and fierce contest, late Council proceedings, the price of gas according to the Martinsburg Independent. to the city has been up for discussion and

That paper expresses the opinion that adjudication. We notice that one of the the "struggle in this State will be closer committees submitted a proposition the and fiercer than ever before." It also other night from the gas company to sup- makes the following further comments, ply the city at the rate of \$3 per thousand feet, the city to pay the expense of part by a member of the Democratic lighting, &c. It was asserted in Council State Committee, may be considered that at this price it would cost the city somewhat significant. It remarks that \$35 per lamp-post for gas, which, it seems, is the price it has been paying heretofore. It was therefore moved that the Council agree to pay the gas company \$25 per post, which motion was carried.

In order to show how much cheaper gas is in other places than in Parkers-

One would suppose that if the oil move ment against gas companies can be suc-cessful anywhere Parkersburg is the place. If Brooklyn can light her streets with oil so can Parkersburg.

It seems to be a nice point to determine how much it costs a gas company to make a 1000 feet of gas. The city of London pays \$20 per annum for each street lamp, and London is a city needing dark and foggy city both by day and night. loan of \$125,000 from that bank, leaving It is said that the average amount of coal required per annum for each street lamp \$6 per ton. A ton of New Castle (England) coal makes 10,000 feet of gas and 50 bushels of coke. We presume the same amount of good gas coal at Parkersburg ought not to cost over \$5 per ton, if that Counting the coke to be worth half the price of the coal, the profit per lamp post at \$25 per annum ought to be satis-

THE Pittsburgh Gasette of the 24th inst. makes known a route by which the oil men of that city expect to ship their pro duct and place themsrives upon an equal footing with the refiners of Cleveland. The Gasette gives the route as follows.

"On the banks of the Ohio river in West Virginia, and some two or three hundred miles below this city, is a town called Huntington. From this place the Chesapeake and Ohio Railrod extends to Richmond, Va., and far enough below it to connect at City Paint, on the James. to connect at City Point, on the James river, vessels entering Chesapeake Bay from the sea. After a through investigation of the maffet our oil dealers have learned that they can transport oil by the Ohioriver to Huntingdon and from Huntingdon, over the C. and O. R. R. to Richard at a considerable less cost than mond, at a considerably less cost than over the Philadelphia Railroad to Philover the Philadelphia Railroad to Paj-adelphia. Oil can be shipped from Pitts-burgh to Huntingdon in barges, at com-paratively little cost, and the manage-ment of the Cheanpeke and Ohio road have offered the refiners here freight rates very much lower than what they are no ecompelled to pay. It appears that the oil refiners of Pitts-

burgh are very active in developing this project, and are determined that no its benefits shall be lost. They held s meeting on the 23d inst., and appointed a committee to go to Richmond and confer with the officers of the C. & O. road with a view of obtaining a still further reduc-

THE Weston Democrat wants Bennett and Burdett nominated again this fall. It is only necessary to add that the Democrat is printed within the shadow of the State Lunatic Asylum.—Parkersburg Jour-

Such remarks as the above do not discourage the Democrat in the least, In its issue of Saturday last it makes the

Norwithstanding the dull times, real and personal property in this vicinity, brings good prices. For instance, a portion of Mr. Joseph Letzkus' garden over the creek, amounting to eleven lots, was put up at public sale last Saturday, and brought upon an average about \$110 per lot. This was a good price.—Wellsburg

The County Court of Kanawha county
Prof. Crago is a fine educator, a wide
has refused to grant license to sell intoxicating liquors, by a vote of 11 against
one officer.—Purkersburg Journal. icating liquors, by a vote of 11 against and 2 in favor of license.

JAMES HANNA, of Washington county, Pa., last week sold 8,000 pounds of wool at prices ranging from 38 to 48 conts.

agreed on 'Charleston as the place whereat to hold the coming State Convention of the party, but, as yet, no time is agreed upon. We understand that it is the desire of the committee to avoid S. Senate in reference to funding them in holding two conventions, and that to this end they will probably not hold their convention until within a week or so o of the Treasury to issue \$500,000,000 of the National Convention on the 27th of June at St. Louis.

This reminds us that the Parkersburg cent 5-20 bonds. The term of Journal is opposed to delaying the Repubthese bonds is fixed at thirty years, and lican nominating Convention until the the government has been assured that 41 1st of August, but would prefer the 1st of post having existed there, besides it is negrent bonds can be sold at par if the July in which case the Convention to per cent bonds can be sold at par if the July, in which case the Convention to government will make them run for that send delegates to Cincinnati and the length of time. If the project succeeds, Nominating Convention will be about six there will be an additional saving of \$7, weeks spart. Before the 14th of May 500,000 in the annual interest, and the rolls round it may be that the public mind will be ripo for nominations. Who proportionately. The Democratic ma- knows? In case it is there may be a jority of the House, pretending to be in strong element in the Convention in faterested in the reduction of expenses and vor of making nominations. Might it the improvement of the national credit, not be well to select delegates with reference to this contingency, and on the understanding that if it is deemed advisable so to do, the Convention, after it selects ten delegates to Cincinnati, may proceed

After these State Conventions, and af ter the two National conventions, what which, coming from a paper edited in

somewhat significant. It remarks that

The Democrats seem to be at sea, and
are if snything more divided than
their unorganized opponents. For President they are most wofully undecided.
On finances they are terribly mixed. The
Republicans, on the other hand, so far as
West Virginia is concerned, are almost a
unit for Blaine, oppose both contraction
and expension of the currency, and are
willing to let the natural laws of trade
work out a legitimate and lasting result,
to all questions now surrounding, mystifying and befogging the business interests
of the country.

of the country.

As an independent and not a neutral journal, we are bound to say that thus far Mr. Blaine has developed more brain power, more knowledge of the needs of this country, more aptness in providing remedies, more nerve in dealing with difficulties, and more popularity with the working men of the country, than any other man aspiring to lead the Republicans. He is evidently a safe man, and if he is nominated will give great strength to his ticket."

### The Eccles Business.

F. H. Eccles, the Wall street broke who suddenly disappeared from this city two weeks ago, returned on Wednesday, and was sent to Ludlow street jail on com plaint of officers of the Third National an immense amount of light, as it is a Bank. In June last Eccles obtained a as security an equivalent in gold. When the loan matured, on the 3d of July, Eccles informed the Stock Board that he was going to Toronto to see his mother. He went off the next day, and a boy-took to the Third National Bank checks for to the Third National Bank checks for the amount of the loan, signed by Eccles and certified by the Mechanics' Banking Association. Eccles' note requested the officers of the bank to deliver the gold in his office in Broad street. The bank messenger was instructed by Mr. Jordan, the cashier, not to deliver the gold to any one except Eccles in person. The messenges did not find Eccles, and when he returned to the bank it was ascertained that Eccles' checks were irregular, as he had not money enough on deposit to cover the not money enough on deposit to cover the amount called for. The Stock Board then suspended Eccles. On the 28th of October, Eccles sold out

On the 28th of October, Eccles sold out his seat in the Stock Exchange for \$5,500, and gave up his office in Broad street, and thereafter operated as an outside broker. Two weeks ago it was rumored that he had absconded. Mr. P. C. Calhoun, President of the Third National Bank, said that Eccles had defaulted to the Bank of the Ohio Valley of Wheeling to the amount of \$30,000. That bank had authorical Eccles to nurchase for it on a

"Previous to my failure I was indebted to the "Previous to my failure I was Indebted to the Bank of the Ohio Valley and the Commercial Bank, both of Wheeling, west Virginia, in the sum of \$40,000, of which my debt to the Bank of the Ohio Valley was \$80,000. These banks had been specializing in Government bonds, and sent me magins to 'carry' the bonds with and to specials. When I was calle on to pay the margins if found I could not do so, and I failed. I have weatiny and internal internal sent of the same of the same of the continuous sent of the

terday I telegraphed to them: "Most main by telegraphed t

its issue of Saturday last it makes the following announcement:

"A strong movement is on foot in Kanawha county, and is being urged by all the people, irrespective of party, to elect John S. Burdett to the Legislature. The people want to give him an opportunity to vindicate himself and discharge certain obligations due from one section of the State to the other. Captain Burdett will make a most efficient Delegate, and the people of Kanawha should elect him."

Notwithstanding the dull times, real hands of the arrest, and did not remember. hands of the arrest, and did not remem-ber telling him that he (Eccles) had acted like a gentleman and a man of honor, for he considered his conduct decidedly im-

> ville, is named in connection with the State Superintendent of Free Schools.

MEMPHIS, February 27.—Crowds are arriving by every train and steamer for a season of the carnival. The indications to-night are that the weather will be delightful.

OHIO COUNTY, Feb. 20th, 1876.
Editors Intelligencer:
There are few cities, ancient or modern, about the origin of the name of which there is more uncertainty or mystery than that of the city of Wheeling.
One account ascribes the name to a Jesuit priest, by the name of Wheelin, alleged to have had a mission post at the mouth of the creek prior to the settlement of the country. A fatal objection to this theory is that there is no authentic account of any such priest or mission

derivation from the Indian name. This is merely a vague conjecture, and is unsupported by any evidence. It is not even certain that the Indians had any recognized name for the creek. As far back as history or tradition goes, there have not been any permanent Indian inhabitants on Wheeling Creek, and there is nothing to indicate that it has ever been inhabited since the disappearance of the Mound Builders. The country was

is nothing to indicate that it has over been inhabited since the disappearance of the Mound Builders. The country was merely a hunting ground for the red man and they seem to have had a sort of warpath through Wheeling Greek valley over which the plumed and painted warriors of distant tribes marched for many a century on their foraging exploits.

According to still another account, the name was what it is now. It was suggested by the remarkable curves made by the creek near its mouth. This is known to have been the current explanation of this matter at an early day. That some such a name should be so suggested to Col. Zane, for whoever gave it the name, is natural and probable. It divests it of all mystery, and we believe it is the true origin of the name.

We have not been able to discover a single Indian name in Ohio county. The name of the county itself is probably not as generally supposed an Indian name, altnough a Peter's Run, which heads in Richland district near Clinton and empties into Wheeling Creek near Triadelppina, was named for an Indian known to the early settlers by the name of Peter. He made yearly visits to a spring or rather awamp on the farm now owned by J. P. Stewart on the waters of that stream, for the purpose of making salt.

MARDI GRAS.

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Who is He? and What's He Go-ing to do for us?

ing to do for its?
Editors of the lifeligence.

In answer to the first question I am somewhat in doubt. "As well as I can find out, however, I think he is a sickly relic of the dark ages.

He flourished at a time in the history of the world, when people were taught by their spiritual guides that rigid fasts would compensate for rooss sips, and that would compensate for gross sins, and that money could buy the grace of forgiveness from the Almighty. If people were to be denied the comforts of life for forty days;

from the Almighty. If people were to be denied the comforts of life for forty days; if for that period they were to be put under clerical bonds, to act the part of decent, orderly members of society, was it very bad that they should spend a week in carousal up to the very hour when the clock struck 12, ushering in the fast of Lent? Why not celebrate its fogitive moments by gluttony, drunkenness and the high carnival of drunkenness?

This candidate for a holiday looks very like a dilapidated heirloom of semi-barbarism, which in no sense belongs to the enlightenment of the nineteenth centary. Cradled during the most corrupt period in the history of Italy, France and Spain; nearly dead in a united lialy, scouted from progressive and victorious Germany, it came to us from the mongrel Spanish and Creole population of Havana. Crossing to New Orleans, it fell into the congenial soil of idleness and credulity there. From such a beginning on American ground, it spread to Memphis within the last two or three seasons, and now comes to curse our nau-ally orderly and matter-of-fact city with its riotous humboggery and waste of time and money.

Such, in few words, is a history of his early life and late progress.

In answer to the other question, "What

carly life and late progress.

In answer to the other question, "What is he going to do for us?" I think, nothing very good. The loss of a day's labor by

It was a matter of deep surprise when I saw our Mayor (practical business man as he is) lend his influence to the keep-ing of a low-born holiday, with nothing about it appealing to the moral or patri-olic sentiments of a true American citi-

National Butter and Egg Association.

New York, February 27.—A number of prominent representatives of the pro-New York, February 27.—A number of prominent representatives of the produce trade left this evening by the Pennsylvania Railroad for Davenport, Iowa, to attend the Convention of the National Butter and Egg Association on the 1st, 2d and 3rd of March.

SALT LAKE, February 28.—The Demo-cratic County Convention, held last night; indorsed the policy of Grant regarding Utah, as expressed in his annual message, Some Republicans here advocate a new County Convention, as two sets of dele-gates were elected at the one lately called.

Reorganization of a Railroad. PHILADELHHIA, February 225.—Holders of a majority of the first and second mortgage bonds of the Lake Superior and Mississippi Railroad, of Minnesota, have agreed to a reorganization of the company, as proposed by the committee of bondholders in January.

Dana and the Tribune. NEW YORK, February 27.—The Sua ridicules the Grophic's report that Mr. Dana is to become connected with the

Damaged by Fire.

r Mary Belle, owned by J. Frank Hicks, of Grissol, took fire and burned to the water's edge, at 2:30 P. M. The fire occurred under or near the front steps. The on cotton below the elevator boat, and the cargo of 5000 or 6000 bales of cotton, with many thousand sacks of seed and sundries, and the baggage of all the pas-sengers, numbering about 200 in the cabin, are a total loss. No lives are known to have been lost and none injured. on the Mississippi and about six months old. She was valued at about \$90,000, and was insured for \$30,000 in western

### CONGRESS.

HOUSE. WASHINGTON, February 26. The House met to day for general de-bate only, Mr. Eden in the Chair. The House was addressed by Mr. Rid-dle in favor of the repeal of the Resump-

Addresses were also made by Mr. Durham in relation to the improvement of the railroad highways of the country, and by Mr. Landis on the currency question. The House adjourned.

NEW YORK.

28th of the same month, an in On the 28th of the same month, an in-junction and stay of proceedings were ob-tained by Mexico and other creditors. To-day Judge Blatchford decided to dis-solve all injunctions and dismiss all pro-ceedings except those in bankruptcy. BROKER'S FAILURE.

R. W. King, member of the Stock Ex-change, failed this morning, and a few hundred shares of the Eric and Western

Known to the public chiefly as the biographer, and in some sense the literary executor of his uncle, Washington Irving, died yesterday, in the seventy-bourth year of his age.

At a late hour to-night two steamboat-men hamed Heeny and Furry engaged in a quarrel over the payment for the drinks in a saloon, in Essex street, Jersey City. They drew sheath-knives and fought until both fell exhausted. Heeny received ten stab wounds about the head and body, and Furry was half, injured. Nother and Furry was badly injured. Neither

# What Susan B. Anthony Thinks of the Beecher Case.

eards as a whitewashing move and think the ultimate result of the whole affair will be Beecheris death, though he will probably nover confess his guilt, having determined otherwise when his troubles first began. Mrs. Tilton first confessed her guilt to Mrs. Stanton and subsequently to Miss Anthony herself, and of the truth of her confession at the time Miss Anthony has no doubt. It is the latter's desire to avoid all publicity in connection with the scandal.

No Increase of Hotel Rates CINCINNATI, February 27.-W. B. Shattuck, corresponding secretary and chair-man of the Committee on Entertainment of the Republican National Convention, says positively that the statements of corodents to the effect that the Cincinrespondents to the effect that the Cincin-nati hotels will increase their charges amount of \$30,000. That bank had authorized Eccles to purchase for it on a
margin a quantity of bonds. Eccles did
so, and was then instructed to sell the
bonds, satisfy the margin, and deposit the
Wheeling Bank's money to its credit in
the Fourth National Bank. It was also
add that another bank had been victimized, and the amount stated was \$10,000.
Eccles says:

"Bestevant of \$30,000. That bank had been with the same and workingman to save as well as make
all the can. "High Carnival" will bring
bonds, satisfy the margin, and deposit the
Wheeling Bank's money to its credit in
the Fourth National Bank. It was also
our hard-working community \$15,000 at
least, with no adequate return.
It was a matter of deep surprise when
I was a matter of deep surprise when
I was a matter of deep surprise when
I was our Mayor (practical business man excess; that the contract is binding, and hotel keepers have no desire to increase the rates. He also says that Gincinnati hotel rates are not higher than those of other cities, and that the Committee on Entertainment have arranged to utilize every available room in the city. Everything nosaible will be done for the comthing possible will be done for the co

this evening, and now Southern Colorado this evening, and now Southern Colorado has a direct broad-gauge railroad connection with the Eastern States. The track of the Denver & Rio Grande road is being pushed rapidly South, and soon these two roads will monopolize the carrying trade to New Mexico and Arizona. Theaday, March 7, has been designated as the day for a grand celebration in this city in honor of the event.

Shooting Tournament. tournament to-day the weather was fine and the shooting remarkably good. Purse No. 3, twenty entries was an and the shooting remarkably good. Purse largument went to reconcile the largument went to reconcile the largument.

six entries, was won by Frank Lealie, of Tennessee. In the aweepstakes of 31 yards rise, in which Captain Bogardus and eight others entered, the purse was divided be-tween Wheat and Shaw, who tied on nine birds. Marine Intelligence.

he has committed such high crimes and misdemeanors in office while discharging the duties of Governor as to demand his impeachment, respectfully report that they find on investigation that said Wm. P. Kellogg, while acting as Governor of the State, has committed many violations, in his official capacity and in the exercise of the functions of Governor, of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana. They submit the following preamble and resolution for the consideration of the House, and recommend their ation of the House, and recommend their

adoption,—

Here follows the statement of the acts

AGDITON,—
Here follows the statement of the acts done from October, 1874, to January, 1875, in regard to the division of the State funds, the substance of which were contained in the report of the Aldrige Committee, heretofore telegraphed. The report concludes as follows:

"AND, WHEREAS, Many of the Democratic and Conservative members of this House feel bound to carry out in good faith the terms of adjustment known as the Wheeler Compromise, not to disturb said Wm. P. Kellogg for official misconduct, occurring anterior to the 14th of April, 1875; and

"WHEREAS, Your committee find on investigation that said Wm. P. Kellogg, in disregard of the high duties imposed upon him by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisians, while discharging and exercising the functions of said office as Governor, and in violation of said laws of the State of Louisians, his official oath as Governor to support and maintain the same, as Acting Governor of the State of Same, as Acting Governor of the State of Same, as Acting Governor for support and maintain the same, as Acting Governor of the State of Same, as Acting Governor for the Same, as Acti as Governor to support and maintain the same, as Acting Governor of the State of Louisiana, has since and subsequent to the 14th day of April, 1875, been guilty of many and divers high crimes and misde-meanors in office against the laws and Constitution of the State of Louisiana;

therefore be dt

"Resolved, By the House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana in General
Assembly convened, that a committee of
five members of this House be appointed
by the Speaker to go to the Senate, and at
the bar thereof, in the name of the House
of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, impeach Wen. P. Kellogg of high
crimes and misdemeanors in office committed since April 14, 1875, and acquaint
the Senate that the House of Representatives will in due time exhibit particular tives will in due time exhibit particular articles of impeachment against him, and that the committee demand that the Sen ate take order for the appearance of said Wm. P. Kellogg to answer to said im-

peachment."

Republicans claim that the report of the majority of the committee was only got before the House by a gross violation of parliamentary rules. Several motions had been made to suspend the rules by a two-thirds vote to take up the report, but had been defeated on a call of the yeas and naws, considerably more than oneand nays, considerably more than one-third of the members present being op-posed to the taking up of the report. It is asserted that the Speaker then not-tered something in an inaudible voice, and declared that unanimous consent had

and declared that unanimous consent had been granted to take up the report. A number of Republicain members at once rose to object, but the Speaker ruled that their objection came too late.

The minority of the committee offered a report, setting forth that no investigation whatever had been entered upon by the committee; that they had demanded that the Governor should be heard, and had been refused, and that the whole proceeding, in their judgment, was a revolutionary attempt to subvert the government.

Republicans, and, by agreement, the whole subject was postponed until 10 o'clock Monday, to which time the House

The Conservatives confidently assert that the House will adopt the report on

House of Representatives in the matter of the impeachment of Governor Kellogs. The memorial dwells upon the incalcula-lable damage that this movement, if per-sisted in, will entail upon commerce and the business interests of the city."

Pigeon Shooting Tournament. New ORLEANS, February 25.—The city is full of strangers. The attendance at the Fair Grounds to-day was light, the

Hendricks commenced his address, when, by request, the pigeon shooting was discontinued, leaving the second event undecided. The tournament purse of \$1,000, entrance \$20, fitty to fill, or pro rata, ten single birds, \$500 to first, \$300 to second, \$200 to third. For the first money H. N. Sherman and J. H. Acklin tied, killing ten birds each at twenty-one yards rise. In shooting off ties Acklin scored three at twenty-six yards, and two at thirty-one yards; Sherman three at thenty-six yards and three at thirty-one yards, making a clean score and taking the prize, E.T. Manning won the second prize on ties of nine. Charles Spear won the third

The second event, for a purse of \$500, The second event, for a purse of \$500, the same condition as the first, entrance \$10, twenty-seven entries. First money was won by J. H. Acklin, second by Chas. Kennon, The third money was divided between seven, who tied on eight birds.

Singular Death of a Hunter. KENTON, O., February 26.—William Homes, a young man eighteen years of age, living near Scioto Marsh, about twelve miles from here, went out Sabbath morning for the purpose of shooting a squirrel for a sick brother. He did not return that day, and his folks becoming alarmed, gathered neighbors and searched for him. Thursday he was found. It seemed while crossing a lot of brush water he caught his gun on a branch, causing it to go He received the full charge in the This is the fourth son that has come to an untimely death by accident.

The Preciousness of Suffering. New York, February 27.—Beecher sermon to-day was founded on verses 5 and 7 of St. Paul's First General Epi

Died at His Post

n New York, February 27.—Rev. E. C.
Langley, while preaching in the Mission
Church to-day, corner of Nassau and Oak-land streets, Brooklyn fell dead in the
pulpit of heart disease.

The Alaska Commercial Company.

Washinorox, February 26,—The examination of General Miller, President of the Alaska Commercial Company, by the sub-committee of the Ways and Meana was concluded to-day, General Miller claimed that the company had notonly fulfilled its obligations, but had done more in the interest of the Government and the natives than is strictly required by contract. The General also claimed that the income of the Government through his company is about \$5,000 per annum. Secretary Boutwell will be the next witness. next witness.

General Babcock will return here to-morrow, but not to resume his duties as Sceretary to the President. Before his trial he gave his friends to understand that if acquitted he would ask to be or-dered to military duty. At a Cabinet meeting yesterday the matter was informally discussed, and there was a concurrent opinion that it would be better for the President and the General Babcock will return here to-

Administration for General Babcock not o resume his former position.

The President remarked that he con-

The President remarked that he con-tinued to have every confidence in Gen-eral Babcock, and thoroughly believed in his innocence; but at the same time he had decided to have some person to open his personal letters against whom no sus-picions have been directed.

A member of the Cabinet, in talking about the matter to your correspondent

about the matter to your correspondent to-day, said the President possessed a great deal of sense, and that he was nick to see that it would not be exactly proper to have Gen. Babcock return to his former labors.

FINANCES IN THE CAUCUS.

WASHINOTON, February 27.—Some of the members of the Democratic caucus committee on the financial platform are disposed to abandon the effort to recon-cile the conflicting views, while others think that an accommodation may yet be reached, notwithstanding a tie vote yester-day on the proposition to repeal the time reached, notwithstanding a tie vote yester-day on the proposition to repeal the time fixed by law for the general resumption of specie payments, namely January 1, 1879, but requiring national banks to annually set aside and retain an amount of gold equal to 3 per cent of their authorized circulation, and also requiring the Secretary of the Treasury annually to set aside and retain an amount of gold equal to 3 per cent of the outstanding legal tender notes as a step in advance of general resumption. The Committee on Banking and Currency have before them the original Payne bill, which requires a reserve of fire per cent. i five per cent.

The colored people of this District are preparing to send delegates to the Convention of colored people of the United States in Nashville, on the 5th of April, for political purposes.

SPEAKER KERR.

GEN. BABCOCK GEN. BABCOCK.

General Babcock in conversation with his friends says he has no present intention of resigning his position of private secretary to the President, nor does he consider it at all necessary to renew his request for an army court of inquiry to vindicate him fron the charges which has already been disposed of after a full and fair trial by the civil tribunal.

NEW ORLEANS, February 27.—The city papers to-day published the memorial mentioned in yesterday's dispatches, expressing unqualified disapprobation of the attempt on the part of the House of Representatives to impeach Gov. Kellogs at this time. The memorial is signed by sixty prominent commercial houses and individuals, whom the Bulletin says represent more than \$10,000.000 of, the active capital of the city. The following dispatch was received here this evening:

MINDEN, LA., February 27.

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To the Associated Press, New Orleans. Telegrams have been received here ask ing the people to endorse the impeach-ment by red-hot dispatches. We believe that public sentiment in Webster Parish is opposed to the impeachment at the present time, without more light.

without more light.
Chebropher Chappe.
D. B. Hamilton,
T. B. Neal,
John C. Laye,
P. W. Paul,
Ben Wade,
L. B. Wateins,
G. W. Warren.

These names en

Fatal Editorial Rencountre. St. Louis, February 27.—A feud has tisted for some time between N. Hawins, of the Carrollton (Mo.) Jon kins, of the Carrollton (Mo.) Journal, and A. J. Kierolf, of the Democrat, which cul-minated on Friday last in Kierolf shoot-ing Hawkins four times, once in the face, twice in the breast, and once in the bow-els, inflicting wounds from which he can not recover.

Convention of Tobacco Raisers and Buyers.

tion of the tobacco raisers of Kentucky
thas been called to meet in Louisville on the 15th of May next. As this State is
the great tobacco part of the country, the
business to be transacted by the coming
Convention will be of great importance
to raisers and buyers in all sections.

Forgery on Royalty.

Reduction on East Bound Freight CHICAGO, February 26.—The managers Chicago to-day agreed upon a reduction of 5 cents on east bound grain and fourth

class freight, and 10 cents on flour, this reduction to go into effect on March 1.

Steam Flour and Saw, Mill Burned. Leavenworru, February 26.— The steam flour mill of H. D. Rush, and the steam saw mill owned by Root & Sheppard, were burned about 9 o'clock this evening. Loss about \$40,000, iusurance, \$15,000.

Pilot Boat Run Down and Sunl New York, February 27.—The pilot boat Caprice was run down and sunk in the bay to-day by the ship New Orleans. The crew were sayed. The Broken Direct Cable.

HALIPAX, February 25.—The steamer Faraday has arrived at Torbay, and will leave in a few days to repair the cable be-tween Torbay and Rye Beach. Failure in the Lumber Trade. MONTREAL, February 26.—P. & F. Don nelly, lumber merchants, have made as assignment. Liabilities \$80,000.

Base Ball. New Haven, February 26.—The New Haven Base Ball Club has withdrawn from the National Association.

CRICAGO, February 26.—Mrs. General P. H. Sheridan was safely delivered of a

FOREIGN NEWS.

SPAIN.

Carlist Battalions Surrender. MADRID, February 26.—It is officially announced that eight Carlist battalions have refused to fire upon the Royalists. After a conflict between the officers and nen the force was disbanded, and surrenlered in parties at Tolosa yesterday. The

FOREIGNERS IN THE CARLIST SERVICE

officers of the Garde Mobile, Germans, Poles, and several deserters from the French army. The last will be tried by court-martial. About five hundred Carlists are enrendering daily to the French authorities.

Hendaye advices state that General Moriones, commanding the Royalists, has arrived at Irun with fitteen battalions. He is now marching towards San Sabastian. The Carlists are demoralized and fleeing in disorder.

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DON CARLOS BECOMES GENEROUS.

MADRID, February 27.—Alfonso has arrived at Alasson. He will visit some towns in the north and review the troops, and then return to Madrid.

Don Carlos was on Saturday in the neighborhood of Irun. It is saidh decrossed the frontier into France during Saturday night, and then issued a manifesio announcing that he generously relinquished the struggle in order to promote the happiness of Spain.

PUBSUING THE REMNANT OF THE CARLIST

PURSUING THE REMNANT OF THE CARLIST ARMY.

The Carlist troops near Lecumberey have killed their commander, General Egana and solicited annesty.

Official advices announce that Generals Campos and Rivera have effected a junction of their forces and are marching in the direction of Velate to overtake the remnants of the Carlist army and sweep the country up to the French frontier. All'she Guipuzelan battalions of Carlists have surrendered, General Renula, with five Navarrez battalions, has surrendered.

The La Espana announces that the new Spanish Minister to Cuba will sail in a few days. His first task is to settle the difficulties respecting the shipment of Chinese coolies to Cuba.

ENGLAND.

Boating Crew Coming to American Regatta.

London, February 26.—Robert Watson Boyd has completed negotiations for the four-oard crew to go to America the coming regatta season. The crew will be composed as follows: Robert Bognoll, bow; W. Nicholson, Robert Chambers and Boyd binadi, as stroke, Boyd her chalbow; W. Nicholson, Robert Chambers and Boyd himself, as stroke. Boyd has chal-lenged any crew in England- to row over the championship course on the Thames or Tyne. If this challenge is not accepted he will assume the title of champion. The four will then proceed to America as the representative English crew.

JOHN RUSKIN

MUTINEERS ARRAIGNED. The six Greeks and five others of the ship's crew, Lennie, charged with the murder of Captain Hatfield, were ar-raigned this morning and remanded to

prison'
LONDON, February 28.—A dispatch
from Berlin to the Fost reports that Austria has ordered Herzegovinian refugees
in her territory to return to their homes
within a month or be expelled.
A Vienna dispatch says that floods have
destroyed seventy houses in Pesth.

GERMANY.

Colossal Statue of Bismarck for the Centennial.

SCHONEBECK, February 26 .- The inur. damage. The water entered six or seven hundred houses in this town, most of which were flooded to the roofs. The inhabitants had hardly time to escape through attics. Over thirty houses were wrecked. The waters are subsiding. The

St. Petersburg, February 26 .- The Go-

Forgery on Royalty.

Forgery on Hoyalty.

ROME, February 26.—The King's signature has been forged to a bill for 200,000 francs. Several arrests have been made, but the guilty one is confessedly the Marquis Montegaza, of Milan, who added that other forged bills for greater amounts are in circulation. FRANCE. Retirement of Buffet.

PARIS, February 26.—Up to this time none of the Prefects have resigned be-cause of the retirement of Buffet, Secreary of the Interior. The political situa-Paris, February 28.—The L'Opinion bys M. Casanier Perier, in addressing a

Chicago Bids for the Convention:
Chicago, February 27.—The proprietors of all the principal hotels of this city to-day telegraphed General Logan at Washington, requesting him to state in their behalf to the National Republican Executive Committee that in case the place of holding the National Republican Convention is changed from Cincincan Convention is changed from Cincin-nati to Chicago that their hotels will maintain the regular rates, and that they are capable of entertaining any possible number of delegates or visitors, without raising the rates.

Weather Report.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIMP SIGNAL OFFIC WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb 28.—1 A.

For Monday, in Tennessee and the Ohio Vailey, southwest winds, veering to cold-er northwest, with rising barometer and

clearing weather.

For the Western Lakes, the Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys, northwest winds, colder, clearing or clear northwest winds, colder, clearing or clear weather and rising barometer.

For the Lower Lakes and Lake Huron, increasing northeast winds backing to the northwest, falling barometer and anow followed by colder, cloudy weather.

The rivers will continue stationary or alowly falling.

Cautionary signals continue at Grand Haven and Milwaukee.

Captain Condon. New York, February 25.—A meeting of the committee, endeavoring to secure the mediation of the United States govthe mediation of the United States gov-ernment in procuring the release of Capt. Condon, an American citizen, now con-fined in an English prison for complicity in the late Fenian movement, was held

in the late Fenian moyement, was held this afternoon. A letter to the President on the pase was read and reports of the progress made in securing the adhesion of the Senators and Congressmen to the movement. Adopted.

It was decided to hold a mass meeting in Cooper's Institute on the 17th of March, and enlist public sympathy in behalf of Condon, and a committee was appointed to make arrangements. A resolution was adopted asking the co-operation of all Irishmen in the movement.

Marai-Gras.

Manui-Gras.

Mempins, February 26.—The city is rapidly filling with visitors to the carnival. The streets already present a lively appearance. A grand stand along the Court Square and a royal payilion for the King are already erected. The platforms for viewing the pageant are being erected along the route of the pageant for the benefit of visitors.

Obituary.

RICHMOND, February 26.—James B. Dowell, Superintendent of the First Dis-trict of the Southern Division of the Western Union Telegraph Company, died ast night, aged fifty-three.

HARRISBURG, PA., February 26 - J. H. Rawlins, member of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives, from Blair county, died at Hollidaysburg, to-day.

Civil Rights Case.

Virginia, has brought suit against Upton S. Newcomer, of the Bingham House here, for a violation of the Civil Rights Bill in refusing a room to Mr. Cook on the night of January 18, on account of his color. Defendant was held to bail for Bank Teller Held for Forgery.

SPHINGFIELD, Mass., February 26.— Milton D. Milton, jr., late Teller of the First National Bank, Westfield, is held in heavy bonds for embezzlement and forgery on two drafts for \$8,350 and \$5,000. He attempted to negotiate them at S. Louis and Denver, getting \$200 at a bank in the latter place.

Sr. Louis, February 27.—Two young boys were smothered to death at Topeka, Kunsas, yesterday, by the caving in of a sand-bank under which they were play-

A Coming Storm.

UEBANA, O., February 26.—The Republicans of the city met in their respective places of voting this evening and elected delegates to the County Convention, which meets March 1, to elect State delegates to decide the manner of nominating candidates.

HANNA IND., February 26.—Wille Sylvester Bertram was hunting with a party on Davis' prairie this afternoon his gun was accidentally discharged while he was thimbing over a log, blowing off his left hand, and the thumb of the right hand, und filling his fees with shar completely. and filling his face with shot, completely destroying the right eye. Sight can not be restored.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

No. 9, page 163 I will on the Court House of Ohio county, west Virginia, commencing at 10 of 0.6, a. a. proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder the following described real estate that is to say, a certain piece or parcel of land lying and bein situated in Chapline and Eoff and litton to the city of wheeling, in the county of Ohio, one of the virginian sixty-dwe (65) feet o at of the acuthest corner of Alley 18 and Aoff street, thence cast along the south side of said Alley 18, twenty-swent (27) feet, thence south on a line parallal with Eoff street inty-dw. (66) feet, thence west ninety-we (72) feet, thence south on a line parallal with Eoff street inty-dw. (66) feet, thence west ninety-we (72) feet, thence south on a line parallal with Eoff street for the Eoff street, thence north along the cast side of Eoff street, thence north on a line parallal with Eoff street for the county of the south of the county of the county of the south of the County Count of the county of the south of the County Count of the county. West Virginia.

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SATURDAY, the 4th day of March, 1876, At the front door of the 'ourt House of Ohiv court, West Virgidia, commencing at 10 o'clock a M. sais at public auction to the highest and best bidder the following described real estate in the city of Wheeling, that is to my. 40,260 off the south and of it tunnber sixty-one, bounded for said forty feet on the east by Aliey E, and on the south by Aliey 16, being the boundery of the part of asid lot to be sold as above, on which part lot stands two feet. The helevest to be perfect, but exceed in me by said will.

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by virtue of a dood of trust made by Alex. Bone,

1 fr., and Belle M., his wife, to the undersigned

trustee, bearing date the 2th day of September,

1873 and recorded in the clearly office of the county

court of Ohio county, west vinging, in deed of

trust book No. 6. pages 79 and 8s. I, will on Monday,

the 20th day of March, 1876, at 2 of colock F. M. of

and day, at the front door of the court house of

Ohio county, sell at public auction Io No. 3 in

square No. of in J. and J. R. Baluser's addition to

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Terias of sale—One-half the purchase monastic

cash, and the residue.

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JAMES P. ROGERS,

WEST VIRGINIA POLITICS LOUISIANA POLITICS. OHIO COUNTY LETTER. By Telegraph the Democrats Disregarding the Wheeler Compromise — Pro-gramme for Impeachment and Removal of Gov. Kellogg. Speculations in Regard to the Naming of the City of Wheeling —No Indian Names in Ohio County. Alaska Commercial Com-ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT. New ORLEANS, February 26. Оню County, Feb. 26th, 1876. TO THE DAILY INTELLIGENCER To the Honorable Speaker and Members of

Burning of the Steamer Mary Belle-6000 Bales of Cotton Lost.

offices. Cargo insured.

Bankruptcy Case of Duncan, Sherman & Co. New York, February 26.—On the 18th of December last, a petition in bankruptey was filed against Duncan, Sherman & Co., by two hundred and five creditors.

Union were bought in, under the rule, or

TERRIBLE FIGHT WITH KNIVES.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, February 26.—Susan 3. Anthony, since her arrival in this ity, though refusing to be interviewed on he subject, has talked freely with her friends concerning the Bowen-Beecher-Tilton complication, and makes no secret of her belief in Beecher's guilt, though professing no admiration for either of the others named. She nevertheless asserts that if any have grievances they are the ones. The Advisory Council she re-

fort and convenience of delegates during their stay in the city, and at reasonable The Approaching Carnival. FIRE RECORD.

\$35,000 Fire.

Norwich, Conn., February 27.—Starkweather's grist mill, in Willimantic, and
the adjoining building, occupied by the
Wayman, Thompson & Atwood Machine
Company, Messra Connat and other menufacturers, was burned Saturday night.

Loss \$35,000; insurance \$20,000.

The Approaching Carnival.

Louisville, February 27.—Comus
Rec Carnival announces the approach
of Mardi-Gras, and the elaborate preparations made at Exposition Hall warrants
the belief that the public will see the
grandest display ever made in Louisville
on that day. The management have oralone for the entertainment of the people, but as a Louisville enterprise as
well. There will be a thousand strangers There will be a thousand stranger

Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe PUEBLO, Col., February 26.—The track of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad was completed to this city

San Francisco, February 28,—The Pacific Mail steamer City of Sydney, from New York, via Panama, has arrived. New York, February 26,—Arrived— Steamahips England, from Liverpool, and Sueva, from Hamburg.

the Honorable of Representatives:

The special committee appointed by the House to investigate the conduct of W. P. Kellogg, and to ascertain whether he has committed such high crimes and

Monday.

The Bulletin says: "We learn that a memorial of merchants and capitalists of New Orleans is in circulation to-day, protesting against the proposed action of the House of Representatives in the matter of the imposablement of Governor Ketter.

at the value of acticles intended for exhibition not having been completed.

The pigeon shooling tournament was the centre of attraction until Governor Hendricks commenced his address, when,

precious beyond silver and gold. The argument went to reconcile the belief of the race in God's gossel providence, with daily observations of the prosperity of the unrighteous and the sufferings of the righteous, and the conclusion was that the pains in this life are as flames which purify precious metal from dross and fit us for the joy of salvation, through faith. No reference was made to Plymouth Church matters.

daughter last night.

sands.

A dispatch from the Royalist General, Martinez Campos, announces that nine battalions have surrendered at Pampeluna. It is generally believed that a complete break-up of the remaining Carlist forces is imminent, and the war is regarded as virtually ended.

PARIS, February 26.—The Moniteur says the internment of several thousand Carlists by France has led to the dis-covery of a number of cosmopolitan in-surgents in the ranks, including former officers of the Garde Mobile, Germans,

DON CARLOS BECOMES GENEROUS.

five Navarrez battalions, has surrendered THE COOLIE TRADE.

LONDON, February 26.—A Berlin letter says a colossal statue of Bismarck will be sent to the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia. A copy is to be erected at Kissingen, on the spot where Kullman attempted the Chancellor's life. DISASTROUS FLOODS.

newspapers are appealing for contribu-tions for the sufferers. RUSSIA.

Supposed Massacre of Prisoners in Khokand. los urges the incorporation of Khokand with Russia, under the name of the gov-ernment of Ferghams. It is believed at Kohodjend that after the recent battle at

meeting of the Left Centre, in addressing a meeting of the Left Centre, stated that he had not yet accepted the Ministry of the Interior. Chicago Bids for the Convention

McConnelsville, O., February 26. A quarrel occurred in a store at Neelys-ville yesterday between a clerk named Spencer and a man named McNabb. Spencer struck McNabb with a poker, making a fearful gash. McNabb will probably recover.

PHILLADELPHIA, Februray 26.—Fields

OMAHA, NEB., February 27.—A severe form from the northwest, sleet, hall and now, with high winds prevailed here all

By virtue of a Deed of Trust made by James A. Lawis and wife to the understaned Trustee, d ted March 27, 1875, and duly recorded among fand re-cords of Ohio county. West Virginia, in Bood Book No. 9, page 163 I will on

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